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THE RICHEST BOY IN AMERICA.—[From the New York Mercury.]—Everybody has heard of the late Edwin A. Stevens, of Hoboken. His father, Colonel John Stevens, invested nearly all his wealth in Hoboken lands, and soon became the possessor of the vast tract that stretches from the Elysian Fields to a point beyond the line of the terminus of the Morris and Essex Road, and from the river to the Palisades. From a small village the tract became a town, and from a town a city; and lots that were purchased by the Colonel at less than one dollar each, were soon worth five hundred times that amount. The Colonel did not retire upon his golden laurels. He projected the Camden and Amboy and New Jersey Railroads, and lived to see both on a fair way to completion. His hand and fortune were visible in every improvement, and his genius and disposition descended to his son, the late Edwin A. Stevens. The latter was the principal manager of the Camden and Amboy Railroad, and he applied steam, then comparatively in its infancy, to all the various uses and projects which had emanated from his busy brain. Forty-two years ago Edwin A. Stevens was regarded as the most active business man in the United States, and making due allowance for age, he preserved his reputation up to within two or three years of his death. The great iron battery, which was the last embodiment of his genius, was the forerunner of our modern...

Edwin A. Stevens left two sons. The eldest is called after himself. He is a bright lad of seventeen, unaffected in his manners. The mother, who is still a young woman, resides with her children in the "castle," above the banks of the Hudson, near the heart of Hoboken. The boy does not seem to realize that he is heir to an estate worth \$40,000,000, and that in four years more he will probably be the richest man in the world.

When he reaches his majority, the interest on his fortune will amount to a larger sum than the salary of any crowned head in Europe. It would be really difficult to compute what the Stevens establishment will be worth in five years more. A large number of leases of valuable houses and lots, now held at nominal rates, will then revert to young Stevens, and he will be the sole possessor of bonds and other securities which are now valued at \$4,000,000. Should he live to the age of his father, and be as lucky in his ventures, his wealth will be greater than Rothschild's. The lad, however, seems to be unconscious of his destiny. He may be seen daily playing on the lawn, in front of the castle, where his father passed his maturer life.

MOTHERS AND SISTERS.—It is exceedingly gratifying to see what tender love and care some of our young men show to their dependent mothers. We know of some noble and many youths in this community who devote all their time and earnings to the maintenance of their mothers and younger brothers and sisters. They sacrifice their own natural inclinations and desires, and stifle themselves in clothing, they abstain from the little luxuries of life that the mother and children at home may be made comfortable. Such young men are models and will yet find their reward. What a contrast does the reckless, dissipated spendthrift present who not only renders no assistance, contributes no help, but is a weight and a drag upon her toil, and a source of grief and anxiety to her broken spirit. Who does not pity the care-worn and heart broken mother? We are just now reminded of a good father and mother, once residents of this city, but long since gone to their graves, leaving a tender little flock without any means of support. Two of the sons who were old enough to work set out for employment in a neighboring State and have for years carefully and constantly returned money and supplies not only to maintain their young sisters, but to make them comfortable and happy. Did Providence ever fail to bless such young men? Both of them are getting large salaries in first-class houses, and have the confidence and respect of their employers. One of them has married a good and beautiful girl with forty thousand dollars patrimony thrown in. Young man, the observation of the world proves that who neglects, mortifies or disgraces his mother or sisters, will never, never prosper. If you think that the Almighty has nothing to do with it, you are terribly mistaken.—*Rome (Ga.) Commercial.*

A BACHELOR JUDOR.—A gentleman who is rather given to story telling relates the following:—"When I was a young man, I spent several years in the South, residing for a while at Port Gibson, on the Mississippi river. A great deal of litigation was going on there about that time, and it was not always an easy matter to obtain a jury. One day I was summoned to act in that capacity, and repaired to court to get excused. On my name being called, I informed his honor, the judge, that I was not a freeholder, and therefore not qualified to serve. "I am stopping for the time being at this place," "You board at the hotel, I presume." "I take meals there, but have rooms in another part of the town, where I lodge." "So you keep bachelor's hall?" "Yes sir." "How long have you lived in that manner?" "About six months." "I think you are qualified," gravely remarked the judge, "for I have never known a man to keep bachelor's hall the length of time you name who had not dirt enough in his room to make him a freeholder. The court does not excuse you."

HISTORIC SPOT MARKED.—When John Quincy Adams, then a Representative from Massachusetts, fell at his desk in the Capitol, he was carried into what was then the Speaker's room, where he breathed his last. A marble bust of him was purchased by Congress and placed in the room, but when the new hall of the House was finished, and the Speaker removed into his new apartment, the bust was carried there with the portraits of ex-Speakers. The old hall has since been dedicated to the reception of statues of our prominent men, two from each State, and the old room of the Speaker is now occupied by the House Committee on Banking and Currency. Mr. Hooper, thinking that the spot where John Quincy Adams died should be appropriately marked, has had the bust brought back and placed on a bracket over the spot where he gave up the ghost, with the following inscription: "John Quincy Adams after fifty years of public service, the last sixteen in yonder hall, was summoned thence to die in this room 23d February, 1848."—*Baltimore American.*

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| 1873 | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | 1873 | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| Jan | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Aug | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Feb | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Sep | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Mar | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Oct | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Apr | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Nov | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| May | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Dec | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| June | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | | | | | | | | |

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